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Applicant(s): Nick Kuo et al.

5 Examiner: ANDUJAR, LEONARDO Art Unit: 2826
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Filing Date: 12/08/2003
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Docket No.: MEGP0033USA

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Title: CHIP STRUCTURE WITH PADS HAVING BUMPS OR
WIREBONDED WIRES FORMED THEREOVER OR
USED TO BE TESTED THERETO

15 To: Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Subject: Status Inquiry about Request for Deduction

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Dear Sir :

The applicant submitted a "Request for Deduction" on 12/07/2007. The
information showed on the image file wrapper indicates that the USPTO had received
25 the request (Attachment 1). That was a request to deduct the RCE fee \$810 as large
entity for the USPTO erroneously charging only \$405 for small entity. The applicant
recently found that the USPTO did not deduct the deficiency fee \$405 yet so far.

Please deduct the deficiency fee \$405 from the deposit account no. 50-3105 as
30 soon as possible. Your quick response will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

/Winston Hsu/

Date: 06.10.2009

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ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)

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Fee Transmittal Form

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Extension of Time Request

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Incomplete Application☐Reply to Missing Parts
under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53☐

Drawing(s)

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Licensing-related Papers

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Petition

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Provisional Application☐

Power of Attorney, Revocation

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of Appeals and Interferences☐Appeal Communication to TC
(Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)☐

Proprietary Information

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Status Letter

☒Other Enclosure(s) (please identify
below):

1. Request Letter

2. A copy of Notification of loss of entitlement to
small entity status submitted on 04/12/20073. A copy of RCE Transmittal submitted on
10/31/2007

Remarks

Request for Deduction

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm Name

North America Intellectual Property Corporation

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Winston Hsu

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Subject: Request for Deduction
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Dear Sir,

The applicant filed a Notification of loss of entitlement to small
25 entity status on 04/12/2007 (Attachment 1). Thus the applicant is no
longer claiming small entity status.

Recently, the applicant filed a Request for Continued Examination
(RCE) for the above-identified application and authorized the USPTO to
30 deduct RCE fee \$810.00 for large entity status on 10/31/2007
(Attachment 2).

However, upon reviewing the Deposit Account Statement, the applicant found that the USPTO deducted only small entity fee \$405.00 on 11/05/2007.

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The applicant therefore requests the USPTO to deduct the deficiency of the RCE fee for large entity status from the Deposit Account No. 50-3105 as soon as possible. Your quick response is greatly appreciated.

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Sincerely yours,

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Date: DEC 07 2007

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Attachment 1

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Examiner : ANDUJAR, LEONARDO

Art Unit : 2826

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Filing Date : 12/08/2003

Assignee : Megica Corporation

Docket No. : MEGP0033USA

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P.O. Box 1450
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Subject: Notification of loss of entitlement to small entity status according to
37CFR 1.27 (g)(2)

Dear Sir:

This is a notification according to 37CFR 1.27 (g)(2) that the small entity status of the assignee indicated above is no longer appropriate. The assignor "Megica Corporation" assigned the above-identified application to the assignee "Megica Corporation" on 05/11/2006 (Reel/Frame: 017600/0649) and the employee number of the assignee "Megica Corporation" is more than 500 persons. The assignee of the above-identified application is thus no longer fit the small entity standards set forth in 13 CFR part 121.

Sincerely yours,

Winston Hsu

Date: APR 12 2007

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	Art Unit	2826
	Examiner Name	ANDUJAR, LEONARDO
	Attorney Docket Number	MEGP0033USA

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1998, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).
- a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
- i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- ii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/ Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other _____
2. **Miscellaneous**
- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a
- a. ☐ period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other _____
3. **Fees**
- The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, any underpayment of fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-3105. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.
- a. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) USD 810.00
- b. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed
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